

AMENDMENT

In the claims:

58. (Currently amended). A humanized anti-IgE antibody comprising the variable heavy chain sequence and the variable light chain sequence of MAE11v1 (SEQ ID NOS: 8 and 9), wherein:

(a) at least one light chain Kabat residues 13, 19, 58, 78 or 104 has been ~~modified~~substituted; or

(b) at least one heavy chain Kabat residues 48, 49, 60, 61, 63, 67, 69, 82 or 82c has been ~~modified~~substituted.

59. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 58 which is an IgG1 antibody.

60. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 59, wherein heavy chain Kabat residue 60 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

61. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 60, wherein residue 60 has been substituted with an amino acid residues selected from the group consisting of asparagine, glutamine, histidine, lysine and arginine.

62. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 59, wherein heavy chain Kabat residue 61 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

63. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 62, wherein residue 61 has been substituted with an amino acid residue selected from the group consisting of proline, glycine, alanine, valine, leucine and isoleucine.

64. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 58, which is an IgG2 antibody.

65. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 64, wherein heavy chain Kabat residue 60 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

66. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 65, wherein residue 60 has been substituted with an amino acid residues selected from the group consisting of asparagine, glutamine, histidine, lysine and arginine.

67. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 64, wherein heavy chain residue 61 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

68. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 67, wherein residue 61 has been substituted with an amino acid residue selected from the group consisting of proline, glycine, alanine, valine, leucine and isoleucine.

69. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 58, which is an IgG3 antibody.

70. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 69, wherein heavy chain residue 60 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

71. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 70 wherein residue 60 has been substituted with an amino acid residues selected from the group consisting of asparagine, glutamine, histidine, lysine and arginine.

72. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 69, wherein heavy chain residue 61 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

73. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 72, wherein residue 61 has been substituted with an amino acid residue selected from the group consisting of proline, glycine, alanine, valine, leucine and isoleucine.

74. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 58 which is an IgG4 antibody.

75. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 74, wherein heavy chain residue 60 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

76. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 75, wherein heavy chain residue 60 has been substituted with an amino acid residues selected from the group consisting of asparagine, glutamine, histidine, lysine and arginine.

77. (Currently amended). The antibody of Claim 74, wherein heavy chain residue 61 has been ~~modified~~substituted.

78. (Previously presented). The antibody of Claim 77, wherein residue 61 has been substituted with an amino acid residue selected from the group consisting of proline, glycine, alanine, valine, leucine and isoleucine.